



U.S. House of Representatives

COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

Employee Post-Travel Disclosure Form

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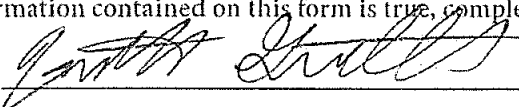
This form is for disclosing the receipt of travel expenses from private sources for travel taken in connection with official duties. This form does not eliminate the need to report privately-funded travel on the annual *Financial Disclosure Statements* of those employees required to file them. In accordance with House Rule 25, clause 5, you must complete this form and *file it with the Clerk of the House, B-81 Cannon House Office Building*, within 15 days after travel is completed. Please *do not* file this form with the Committee on Ethics.

NOTE: Willful or knowing misrepresentations on this form may be subject to criminal prosecution pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1001.

1. Name of Traveler: Jonathan Gerstell
2. a. Name of Accompanying Relative: _____ OR None ☒
b. Relationship to Traveler: ☐ Spouse ☐ Child ☐ Other (specify): _____
3. a. Dates: Departure: 07/21/2019 Return: 07/24/2019 (flight delayed by 8 hours)
b. Dates at Personal Expense, if any: _____ OR None ☒
4. Departure City: Washington, DC Destination: Idaho Falls, ID Return City: Washington, DC
5. Sponsor(s), Who Paid for the Trip: Foundation for Nuclear Studies
6. Describe Meetings and Events Attended: See attached agenda
7. Attached to this form are *each* of the following, *signify that each item is attached by checking the corresponding box*:
 - a. ☒ a completed *Sponsor Post-Travel Disclosure Form*;
 - b. ☒ the *Primary Trip Sponsor Form* completed by the trip sponsor prior to the trip, including all attachments and the *Grantmaking or Non-Grantmaking Sponsor Forms*;
 - c. ☒ page 2 of the completed *Traveler Form* submitted by the employee; and
 - d. ☒ the letter from the Committee on Ethics approving my participation on this trip.
8. a. I represent that I participated in each of the activities reflected in the attached sponsor's agenda.
Signify statement is true by checking the box: ☒
b. If not, explain: _____

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OFFICE OF THE CLERK

I certify that the information contained on this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.

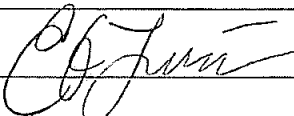
Signature of Traveler: 

Date: 08/02/2019

I authorized this travel in advance. I have determined that all of the expenses listed on the attached *Sponsor Post-Travel Disclosure Form* were necessary and that the travel was in connection with the employee's official duties and would not create the appearance that the employee is using public office for private gain.

Name of Supervising Member: Elaine G. Luria

Date: 08/02/2019

Signature of Supervising Member: 

08/02/2019

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Monday, July 22, 2019

6:00 AM MST Breakfast at the Hampton Inn

7:20 AM MST All Attendees meet in Lobby for departure to INL

7:30 AM MST INL Bus arrives – Travel from Hampton Inn to INL

8:30 AM MST Tour Advanced Test Reactor with Sean O’Kelly, Associate Laboratory Director, ATR

9:30 AM MST Travel to Materials & Fuels Complex (MFC)

10:00 AM MST Tour Space & Security Power System Facility and Briefing with Steve Johnson, Director, Space Nuclear Power & Isotopes System

11:30 AM MST Lunch with Overview of VTE in the Till Conference Room with John Bumgardner, VTR Project Manager

12:30 PM MST Tour Hot Fuel Examination Facility with Kelly Kynaston, Manager, Operations, MFC

1:15 PM MST Tour Fuel Conditioning Facility and EBR-II dome with Bob Miklos, MFC Production Facilities

2:15 PM MST Depart for Idaho Falls- Energy Systems Laboratory (ESL)

3:00 PM MST Tour Energy Systems Laboratory, focus in IES, with Shannon Bragg-Sitton, Co-Director, INL Integrated Energy Systems Laboratory Initiative

4:00 PM MST Tour Human System Simulation Laboratory with Bruce Halbert, Nuclear Safety and Regulatory Research

4:30 PM MST Closing Meeting- Nuclear Science & Technology at the INL Meeting Center with Peter Wells, Chief Operating Officer, NS&T

5:00 PM MST Return to Hotel

5:45 PM MST Depart for Dinner Programming

6:00 PM MST Dinner at Copper Rill Restaurant with presentation from Idaho Falls Mayor Rebecca Casper & Idaho Fall Power GM Bear Prairie

8:00 PM MST Transport back to Hampton Inn



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Sponsor Post-Travel Disclosure Form

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This form must be completed by an officer of any organization that served as the primary trip sponsor in providing travel expenses or reimbursement for travel expenses to House Members, officers, or employees under House Rule 25, clause 5. A completed copy of the form must be provided to each House Member, officer, or employee who participated on the trip *within ten days of their return*. You must answer all questions, and check all boxes, on this form for your submission to comply with House rules and the Committee's travel regulations. Failure to comply with this requirement may result in the denial of future requests to sponsor trips and/or subject the current traveler to disciplinary action or a requirement to repay the trip expenses.

NOTE: Willful or knowing misrepresentations on this form may be subject to criminal prosecution pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1001.

1. Sponsor(s) who paid for the trip: Foundation for Nuclear Studies

2. Travel Destination(s): Idaho Falls, ID

3. Date of Departure: Sun. July 21, 2019 Date of Return: Wed. July 24, 2019-flight delay by 8 hours

4. Name(s) of Traveler(s): Jonathan Gerstell


Note: You may list more than one traveler on a form only if *all* information is *identical* for each person listed.

5. Actual amount of expenses paid on behalf of, or reimbursed to, each individual named in Question 4:

	Total Transportation Expenses	Total Lodging Expenses	Total Meal Expenses	Total Other Expenses (dollar amount per item and description)
Traveler	\$848.30	\$194.00	\$78.56	
Accompanying Family Member				

6. All expenses connected to the trip were for actual costs incurred and not a *per diem* or lump sum payment. Signify statement is true by checking box: ☒

I certify that the information contained in this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature:  Date: July 25, 2019

Name: Helen Milby Title: Executive Director

Organization: Foundation for Nuclear Studies

I am an officer of the above-named organization. Signify statement is true by checking box: ☐

Address: 233 Pennsylvania Avenue, SE Washington, DC 20003

Telephone: 202-548-0021 Email: helen@helenmilby.com

Committee staff may contact the above-named individual if additional information is required.

If you have questions regarding your completion of this form, please contact the Committee on Ethics at 202-225-7103.



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Primary Trip Sponsor Form

This form should be completed by private entities offering to provide travel or reimbursement for travel to House Members, officers, or employees under House Rule 25, clause 5. A completed copy of the form (and any attachments) should be provided to each invited House Member, officer, or employee, who will then forward it to the Committee together with a *Traveler Form* at least 30 days before the start date of the trip. The trip sponsor should **NOT** submit the form directly to the Committee. The Committee website (ethics.house.gov) provides detailed instructions for filling out the form.

NOTE: Willful or knowing misrepresentations on this form may be subject to criminal prosecution pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1001. Failure to comply with the Committee's Travel Regulations may also lead to the denial of permission to sponsor future trips.

1. Sponsor who will be paying for the trip: Foundation for Nuclear Studies
2. I represent that the trip will not be financed, in whole or in part, by a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent.
Signify that the statement is true by checking box: ☒
3. **Check only one.** I represent that:
 - a. The primary trip sponsor has not accepted from any other source, funds intended directly or indirectly to finance any aspect of the trip: ☒ OR
 - b. The trip is arranged without regard to congressional participation and the primary trip sponsor has accepted funds only from entities that will receive a tangible benefit in exchange for those funds: ☐ OR
 - c. The primary trip sponsor has accepted funds from other source(s) intended directly or indirectly to finance all or part of this trip and has enclosed disclosure forms from each of those entities. ☐If "c" is checked, list the names of the additional sponsors: _____
4. Provide names and titles of ALL House Members *and* employees you are inviting. For each House invitee, provide an explanation of why the individual was invited (include additional pages if necessary): See Attachment 1
5. Is travel being offered to an accompanying family member of the House invitee(s)? ☐ Yes ☒ No
6. Date of Departure: Sunday, July 21, 2019 Date of Return: Tuesday, July 23, 2019
7.
 - a. City of departure: Washington, DC
 - b. Destination(s): Idaho Falls, ID
 - c. City of return: Washington, DC
8. **Check only one.** I represent that:
 - a. The sponsor of the trip is an institution of higher education within the meaning of section 101 of the Higher Education Act of 1965: ☐ OR
 - b. The sponsor of the trip does not retain or employ a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent: ☒ OR
 - c. The sponsor employs or retains a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent, but the trip is for attendance at a one-day event *and* lobbyist / foreign agent involvement in planning, organizing, requesting, or arranging the trip was *de minimis* under the Committee's travel regulations. ☐
9. **Check only one of the following:**
 - a. I checked 8(a) or (b) above: ☒
 - b. I checked 8(c) above but am not offering any lodging: ☐
 - c. I checked 8(c) above and am offering lodging and meals for one night: ☐ OR
 - d. I checked 8(c) above and am offering lodging and meals for two nights: ☐ If you checked this box, explain why the second night of lodging is warranted: _____



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10. Attached is a detailed agenda of the activities House invitees will be participating in during the travel (i.e., an hourly description of planned activities for trip invitees). *Indicate agenda is attached by checking box:* ☒
11. *Check only one of the following:*
- a. I represent that a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent will not accompany House Members or employees on any segment of the trip. *Signify that the statement is true by checking box:* ☒ OR
- b. *Not Applicable.* Trip sponsor is a U.S. institution of higher education: ☐
12. For *each* sponsor required to submit a sponsor form, describe the sponsor's interest in the subject matter of the trip *and* its role in organizing and/or conducting the trip:
- See Attachment 2
-
13. *Answer parts a and b. Answer part c if necessary:*
- a. Mode of travel: Air ☒ Rail ☐ Bus ☒ Car ☐ Other ☐ (specify: _____)
- b. Class of travel: Coach ☒ Business ☐ First ☐ Charter ☐ Other ☐ (specify: _____)
- c. If travel will be first class, or by chartered or private aircraft, explain why such travel is warranted:
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14. I represent that the expenditures related to local area travel during the trip will be unrelated to personal or recreational activities of the invitee(s). *Signify that the statement is true by checking box:* ☒
15. *Check only one.* I represent that either:
- a. The trip involves an event that is arranged or organized *without regard* to congressional participation and that meals provided to congressional participants are similar to those provided to or purchased by other event attendees: ☐ OR
- b. The trip involves events that are arranged specifically *with regard* to congressional participation: ☒
- If "b" is checked:
- 1) Detail the cost *per day* of meals (approximate cost may be provided): The approximate cost per day of meals is \$55 (per the allocated per diem)
- 2) Provide the reason for selecting the location of the event or trip: FNS selected Idaho Falls, ID for this trip because it is home to the Idaho National Laboratory. The trip will give staff an opportunity to tour a research facility
16. Name, nightly cost, and reasons for selecting each hotel or other lodging facility:
- Hotel Name: Hampton Inn City: Idaho Falls Cost Per Night: \$104.00
- Reason(s) for Selecting: Cost, availability, and proximity to tour and dining locations
- Hotel Name: _____ City: _____ Cost Per Night: _____
- Reason(s) for Selecting: _____
- Hotel Name: _____ City: _____ Cost Per Night: _____
- Reason(s) for Selecting: _____
17. I represent that all expenses connected to the trip will be for actual costs incurred and not a per diem or lump sum payment. *Signify that the statement is true by checking box:* ☒



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11. Check only one of the following:
- a. I represent that a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent will not accompany House Members or employees on any segment of the trip. Signify that the statement is true by checking box: ☒ OR
- b. Not Applicable. Trip sponsor is a U.S. institution of higher education: ☐
12. For each sponsor required to submit a sponsor form, describe the sponsor's interest in the subject matter of the trip and its role in organizing and/or conducting the trip:
- See Attachment 2
-
13. Answer parts a and b. Answer part c if necessary:
- a. Mode of travel: Air ☒ Rail ☐ Bus ☒ Car ☐ Other ☐ (specify: _____)
- b. Class of travel: Coach ☒ Business ☐ First ☐ Charter ☐ Other ☐ (specify: _____)
- c. If travel will be first class, or by chartered or private aircraft, explain why such travel is warranted:
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14. I represent that the expenditures related to local area travel during the trip will be unrelated to personal or recreational activities of the invitee(s). Signify that the statement is true by checking box: ☒
15. Check only one. I represent that either:
- a. The trip involves an event that is arranged or organized without regard to congressional participation and that meals provided to congressional participants are similar to those provided to or purchased by other event attendees: ☐ OR
- b. The trip involves events that are arranged specifically with regard to congressional participation: ☒
- If "b" is checked:
- 1) Detail the cost per day of meals (approximate cost may be provided): The approximate cost per day of meals is \$55 (per the allocated per diem) ☒
- 2) Provide the reason for selecting the location of the event or trip: See Attachment 3
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16. Name, nightly cost, and reasons for selecting each hotel or other lodging facility:
- Hotel Name: Hampton Inn City: Idaho Falls Cost Per Night: \$104.00
- Reason(s) for Selecting: Cost, availability, and proximity to tour and dining locations ☒
- Hotel Name: _____ City: _____ Cost Per Night: _____
- Reason(s) for Selecting: _____
- Hotel Name: _____ City: _____ Cost Per Night: _____
- Reason(s) for Selecting: _____
17. I represent that all expenses connected to the trip will be for actual costs incurred and not a per diem or lump sum payment. Signify that the statement is true by checking box: ☒



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18. Total Expenses for each Participant:

<input type="checkbox"/> Actual Amounts	Total Transportation Expenses per Participant	Total Lodging Expenses per Participant	Total Meal Expenses per Participant
<input type="checkbox"/> Good Faith Estimates			
For each Member, Officer, or Employee	\$843.00	\$208.00	\$137.50
For each Accompanying Family Member	\$0	\$0	\$0

	Other Expenses (dollar amount per item)	Identify Specific Nature of "Other" Expenses (e.g., taxi, parking, registration fee, etc.)
For each Member, Officer, or Employee	\$0	\$0
For each Accompanying Family Member	\$0	\$0

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19. Check only one:

a. I certify that I am an officer of the organization listed below: ☒ OR

b. *Not Applicable.* Trip sponsor is an individual or a U.S. institution of higher education. ☐

20. I certify that I am not a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent for any sponsor of this trip. ☒

21. I certify by my signature that the information contained in this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: _____

Date: 06/10/2019

Name: Helen Milby

Title: Executive Director

Organization: Foundation for Nuclear Studies

Address: 233 Pennsylvania Ave. SE, 2nd Floor

Telephone: (202) 548-0021

Email: helen@helenmilby.com

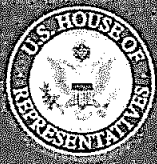
If there are any questions regarding this form, please contact the Committee at the following address:

Committee on Ethics

U.S. House of Representatives

1015 Longworth House Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20515

Phone: 202-225-7103 General Fax: 202-225-7392



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TRAVELER FORM

1. Name of Traveler: Jonathon Gerstell
2. Sponsor(s) who will be paying for the trip: Foundation for Nuclear Studies
3. Travel Destination(s): Idaho Falls, ID
4. a. Date of Departure: 7/21/2019 Date of Return: 7/23/2019
- b. Will you be extending the trip at your personal expense? ☐ Yes ☒ No
- If yes, list dates at personal expense: _____
5. a. Will you be accompanied by a family member at the sponsor's expense? ☐ Yes ☒ No If yes:
- (1) Name of Accompanying Family Member: _____
- (2) Relationship to Traveler: ☒ Spouse ☐ Child ☐ Other (specify): _____
- (3) Accompanying Family Member is at least 18 years of age: ☐ Yes ☐ No
6. a. Did the trip sponsor answer "Yes" to Question 8(c) on the *Primary Trip Sponsor Form* (i.e., travel is sponsored by an entity that employs a registered federal lobbyist or a foreign agent)? ☐ Yes ☒ No
- b. If yes, and you are requesting lodging for two nights, explain why the second night is warranted:
- _____

7. *Primary Trip Sponsor Form* is attached, including agenda, invitee list, and any other attachments and contributing sponsor forms: ☒ Yes ☐ No

NOTE: The agenda should show the traveler's individual schedule, including departure and arrival times and identify the specific events in which the traveler will be participating.

8. Explain why participation in the trip is connected to the traveler's individual official or representational duties. Staff should include their job title and how the activities on the itinerary relate to their duties.

I am a legislative assistant whose portfolio includes energy issues, including nuclear energy, and have been working specifically on the Congresswoman's Nuclear Energy Leadership Act.

9. Is the traveler aware of any registered federal lobbyists or foreign agents involved planning, organizing, requesting, or arranging the trip? ☐ Yes ☒ No
10. For staff travelers, to be completed by your employing Member:

ADVANCED AUTHORIZATION OF EMPLOYEE TRAVEL

I hereby authorize the individual named above, an employee of the U.S. House of Representatives who works under my direct supervision, to accept expenses for the trip described in this request. I have determined that the above-described travel is in connection with my employee's official duties and that acceptance of these expenses will not create the appearance that the employee is using public office for private gain.

Signature of Employing Member [Signature] Date 6/21/2019

Theodore E. Deutch, Florida
Chairman
Kenny Marchant, Texas
Ranking Member

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U.S. House of Representatives
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July 17, 2019

Mr. Jonathan Gerstell
Office of the Honorable Elaine G. Luria
534 Cannon House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Mr. Gerstell:

Pursuant to House Rule 25, clause 5(d)(2), the Committee on Ethics hereby approves your proposed trip to Idaho Falls, Idaho, scheduled for July 21 to 22, 2019, sponsored by Foundation for Nuclear Studies.

You must complete an Employee Post-Travel Disclosure Form (which your employing Member must also sign) and file it, together with a Sponsor Post-Travel Disclosure Form completed by the trip sponsor, with the Clerk of the House within 15 days after your return from travel. As part of that filing, you are also required to attach a copy of this letter and both the Traveler and Primary Trip Sponsor Forms (including attachments) you previously submitted to the Committee in seeking pre-approval for this trip. If you are required to file an annual Financial Disclosure Statement, you must also report all travel expenses totaling more than \$390 from a single source on the "Travel" schedule of your annual Financial Disclosure Statement covering this calendar year. Finally, Travel Regulation § 404(d) also requires you to keep a copy of all request forms and supporting information provided to the Committee for three subsequent Congresses from the date of travel.

If you have any further questions, please contact the Committee's Office of Advice and Education at extension 5-7103.

Sincerely,

Theodore E. Deutch
Chairman

Kenny Marchant
Ranking Member

TED/KM:jls



DRAFT ITINERARY: FNS Trip to Idaho National Labs
Sunday, July 21 – Tuesday, July 23

Sunday, July 21

5:00pm ET – 7:43PM MT:	Delta Flight 832 DCA > SLC
8:35pm MT – 9:36pm MT:	Delta Flight 4531 SLC > IDA
10:15pm-10:30pm	Travel to hotel

Monday, July 22

7:30am-8:30am	Depart hotel, travel to Advanced Test Reactor
8:30am-9:30am	Tour Advanced Test Reactor
9:30am-10:00am	Travel to Materials and Fuels Complex
10:00am-11:30am	Tour Space and Security Power System Facility
11:30am-12:30pm	Working Lunch <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Topic: Nonproliferation & Cybersecurity
12:30pm-1:30pm	Tour Hot Fuel Examination Facility
1:30pm-2:15pm	Tour Transient Reactor Test Facility (TREAT)
2:15pm-3:00pm	Travel to Idaho Falls
3:00pm-4:00pm	Tour Energy Systems Laboratory
4:00pm-4:30pm	Tour Human System Simulation Laboratory
4:30pm-5:00pm	Closing Meeting with INL Lab Director



5:00pm-5:15pm	Travel to Hotel
5:15pm-5:45pm	Downtime
5:45pm-6:00pm	Travel to Dinner
6:00pm-8:00pm	Dinner <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Presentation: Idaho Falls Mayor Rebecca Casper & Idaho Falls Power GM Bear Prairie

Tuesday, July 23

6:00am-6:15am	Travel to IDA
7:55am MT – 8:57am MT	Delta Flight 3677 IDA > SLC
9:48am MT – 3:59pm ET	Delta Flight 832 SLC > DCA



Attachment 1 – Question 4:

List of invited House Staff that handle energy issues for their office/committee:

First	Last	Office	Position
Trent	Bauserman	Rep. Hoyer	Senior Policy Advisor
Claire	Borzner	Rep. Doyle	Nuclear LA
Chris	Bowman	Rep. Lamb	Legislative Director
Gideon	Bragin	Rep. Jeffries	Dem Caucus Executive Director
Sarah	Cannon	Rep. Simpson	Legislative Director
Tanya	Das	House Committee on Science, Space & Technology	Professional Staff
Emily	Domenech	House Committee on Science, Space & Technology	Senior Policy Advisor (R)
Daniel	Dziadon	House Committee on Science, Space & Technology	Professional Staff
Caitlin	Frazer	Rep. Houlahan	LD/Energy
Jonathan	Gerstell	Rep. Luria	Legislative Assistant
Mike	Harmon	Rep. Cooper	Nuclear LA (Defense Fellow)
Tom	Harvey	Rep. Weber (TX-14)	Legislative Assistant
Alyse	Huffman	House Committee on Science, Space & Technology	AAAS Fellow (D)
Matthew	Kaplan	Rep. Kaptur	Nuclear LA, Legislative Counsel
Rick	Kessler	House Committee on Energy & Commerce	Senior Advisor, Staff Director
Paul	Laurie	Rep. Kinzinger	Legislative Aide
ERica	Lefaive	Rep. Weber (TX-14)	LA
Jen	Lorraine	Rep. McCarthy	Senior Policy Advisor
Michael	Maitland	Rep. Norcross	Chief of Staff
Celeste	Maloy	Congressman Chris Stewart (R-UT)	Counsel
Michael	Mansour	Congressman Kinzinger (R-IL)	Legislative Director
John	Marshall	House Committee on Energy & Commerce	Policy Coordinator, Energy and Power subcommittee (D)
John	Marshall	Congressman Rush (D-IL)	Senior Policy Advisor
Ian	Merritt	Rep. Jeff Fortenberry	Nuclear Security Working Group Fellow/LA
Emily	Michael	Rep. Griffith	Senior Policy Advisor



Hillary	O'Brien	House Committee on Science, Space & Technology	Professional Staff
Levi	Patterson	Rep. Ben Ray Lujan	Energy LA
Adam	Rosenberg	House Committee on Science, Space & Technology	Staff Director (D)
Rishi	Sahgal	Congressman Jerry McNerney, (D-CA)	Legislative Director
Emily	Saleeby	Rep. Wilson	Nuclear LA/Office Manager
Kathryn	Sorenson	Office of Congresswoman Elaine Luria	Chief of Staff
Peter	Spencer	House Committee on Energy & Commerce	Senior Professional Staff (R)
Madeline	Vey	Congressman Bob Latta (R-OH)	Legislative Director/Counsel
Christian	Walker	Congresswoman Ann Kirkpatrick (D-AZ)	Legislative Director
Austin	Weatherford	Rep. Kinzinger	Chief of Staff
Wintta	Woldemariam	Rep. Clyburn	Policy Director
Tuley	Wright	House Committee on Energy & Commerce	Energy and Environment policy advisor (D)



Attachment 2 – Question 12:

The Foundation for Nuclear Studies, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit, provides information and educational opportunities for policymakers and the general public about nuclear science and technology, with the objective of promoting sound national policy.

In pursuit of its mission, the Foundation sponsors a highly regarded congressional briefing series with forums on a broad spectrum of issues related to nuclear technology, ranging from medical isotopes to the transportation of nuclear materials. The events attract high-quality speakers and seek to provide a balanced presentation of differing perspectives.

In an effort to expand our programming, the Foundation is embarking on this trip as part of our ongoing educational site tour series, which will provide congressional staff with firsthand knowledge of working nuclear plants and research facilities. Through our briefing series on the events in Japan, the Foundation discovered that even staffers with a background in nuclear fields lack firsthand experience with nuclear plants and demonstrated a strong interest in being able to tour a facility. This trip should provide those staffers with relevant experience to make better informed policy decisions as they perform their various roles on Capitol Hill.

The Foundation selected Idaho Falls, ID because it is the location for the Idaho National Laboratory (INL), which is considered to be the nation's leading center for nuclear energy research and development. INL works in each of the strategic goal areas of the Department of Energy, which includes: energy, national security, science and environment. The reason for traveling to Idaho Falls, ID is due to the city having the closest airport to INL's desert sites. However, traveling to Idaho Falls also offers an opportunity to explore their research and education campus, which maintains academic partnerships with Boise State University, Idaho State University, University of Idaho and University of Wyoming.

The Foundation for Nuclear Studies is the sole sponsor of this trip and is planning, executing and financing all aspects of the trip.



Attachment 3 – Question 15b:

FNS selected Idaho Falls, ID for this trip because it is home to the Idaho National Laboratory. The trip will give staff an opportunity to tour a research facility and its various divisions that support nuclear science and technology.



May 1, 2019

Jonathan Gerstell
Office of Congresswoman Luria
Washington, DC

Dear Jonathan Gerstell,

I would like to invite you to attend The Foundation for Nuclear Studies (FNS) Educational Staff Tour of the Idaho National Laboratory (INL) in Idaho Falls, Idaho, from **Sunday, July 21 to Tuesday, July 23, 2019**. The tour will adhere to all federal ethics requirements.

The Foundation for Nuclear Studies, as a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, effectively promotes sound national policy on nuclear science and technology by providing information and educational opportunities for policymakers, their staffs and the general public.

This tour is a continuation of our programming series, which calls for discussing nuclear issues and analyzing the technical and practical issues associated with nuclear technologies. This tour is structured to bring Congressional staffers together with nuclear industry experts and executives for the purposes of understanding key issues affecting energy policy. **Monday, July 22, 2019** will provide full days of educational briefings and examining the daily functions of INL sites. Items on the agenda will include presentations from Idaho Falls Mayor Rebecca Casper and Idaho Falls Power General Manager Bear Prairie and tours of several reactors, facilities, and laboratories.

FNS will cover costs relating to the trip, including airfare, hotel expenses and group meals. We are consulting with the relevant ethics committees to ensure compliance, and will provide paperwork for submission prior to the 30-day House and Senate Ethics deadline. Please respond to Arianne Price at arianne@helenmilby.com prior to **Wednesday, May 15, 2019** if you can attend.

Sincerely,

Helen Milby
Executive Director Foundation for Nuclear Studies